

## MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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## INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

File 6-106

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Krauss-Wyatt House

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET &amp; NUMBER

2790 Tome Highway

CITY, TOWN

Cólora

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

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STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

## CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

## OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

## PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

## STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

## ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☐ NO

## PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE☐ COMMERCIAL☐ EDUCATIONAL☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ GOVERNMENT☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ MILITARY☐ MUSEUM☐ PARK☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ RELIGIOUS☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ OTHER:**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Ed and Alpha Wyatt

Telephone #: 658-5124

STREET &amp; NUMBER

2790 Tome Highway

CITY, TOWN

Cólora

☒ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21917

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

STREET &amp; NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

Liber #: RRC 101

Folio #: 483

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

## CONDITION

— EXCELLENT  
— GOOD  
✓ FAIR

— DETERIORATED  
— RUINS  
— UNEXPOSED

## CHECK ONE

— UNALTERED  
✓ ALTERED

## CHECK ONE

— ORIGINAL SITE  
— MOVED DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Krauss-Wyatt House c. 1830-1860 consists of two stuccoed brick sections probably built within 20 years of each other. The 1½ story two bay by one room sections was probably the first with a later two story two bay by one room brick gable end addition to the north. The house faces west with the main gable on a north/south axis.

The west elevation is covered partially by a single story shed roofed addition which is stuccoed on the south half and covered with aluminum on the north half. The 1½ story section has no second floor openings while the adjacent section has two second floor 6/6 sash windows. A plain corbelled cornice finishes the eaves of the 1½ story house while a corbelled cornice with a row of dentils decorates the two story eave. The first floor of the 1½ story section has been removed to enlarge the kitchen. The entrance is the northern part occupies the south of the two openings.

The north end is a plain stuccoed wall except for an exterior basement entry. An interior end stack rises out of the house with a plain barge-board protecting the eave. The east side is basically the same as the front with a fully stuccoed shed addition covering the first floor. A single pane sash window lights the second floor with a dentiled cornice above. The shorter 1½ sections is primarily covered by the shed addition. A plain corbelled cornice decorates the eave. The south end has an interior end chimney also with an adjacent entrance in the eastern opening.

The interiors of both sections have been fully remodeled.

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PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
REHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)		
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION				

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Krauss-Wyatt House has lost most of its architectural significance due to severe remodelings. The basic house form and corbelled cornices are all that remain from the earlier details. M. Krauss is located on the 1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson Atlas.

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

Paul Touart

ORGANIZATION

H Cecil County Committeec

DATE

10/6/81

STREET &amp; NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

TELEPHONE

398-0200

CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
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Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
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KRAUSS-WYATT HOUSE

WEST ELEVATION

NR HARRISVILLE

1/80 PBT

NEG / MR. HIST TRUST





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KRAUSS-WYATT HOUSE  
WEST ELEVATION  
NR WEST NOTTINGHAM

3/79 PBT

NEG./MO. 175? TRUST

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